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ROUND UP AND MOOCHICAN

PALLISER HOTEL, CALGARY, ALBERTA
THURSDAY, JANUARY 22nd, 1925

TOAST LIST

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HIS MAJESTY THE KING

GOD SAVE THE KING

SONG - (Selected) - Jessie Glanville Carson (Native Daughter)

THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

HIS HONOR R. G. BRETT (1883)
Lieutenant Governor of Alberta

SONG - (Selected) - Georgie Stirrett Baker (Native Daughter)

THE WOMEN PIONEERS

MRS. DAVID McDOUGALL (1871)

THE PRESS

DR. M. C. COSTELLO (1883)

SONG - (Selected) - - Joseph Towell

Mrs. Jas. Thurston - - - Mrs. J. K. Costigan - -

Violinist Pianist

GREETINGS TO OUR PRESIDENT

Tune: "Comrades"

Comrades, comrades, Ever since we came here Who but our Colonel Walker Ever was pal so dear. When on parade how stately He's our first President too Give us our good Jimmy Walker Here's hoping, old friend, to you!

(Repeat in Chorus.)

TUNE: "IN THE GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME

In the good old winter time, in the good old winter time, Rounding up old timers and coralling them in rhyme,

There's Dr. Brett who built the San., our Governor is he,

May he be given another term to welcome Royalty.

CHORUS:

In the good, etc.

REFRAIN:

There's Pat who'd rather run a mile than hear his praises rung, But he's too good a sport to let his virtues be unsung.

In the good old winter time, etc.

There's Sanders double D.S.O., Of monocle renown, His single eye strikes terror into every tough in town.

In the good, etc.

The Dave and John McDougalls who made Calgary their home, Before the coming of the crowd that now the streets do roam

In the good, etc.

There's G. C. King who held his post And the Post held him for years, Mountie and Mayor and citizen, Whom every man reveres.

In the good, etc.

There's Banff's Bill Brewster He's the boy makes yellow wheels go

The music of his ponies' hoofs on rocky trails resound.

In the good, etc.

And Jimmie Linton who for long had the one and only store For books and charts and billy doos, And stationery galore.

In the good old, etc.

Of native sons and daughters, sure, Alberta can show,

The finest girls, the bravest boys, all in a goodly row.

In the good, etc.

To corral all could not be done, So many and great are we Hip, Hip, Hooray, for the O. T. A. And for Alberta three times three.

In the good old, etc.

TUNE: "THE BELLS OF ST. MARY'S

Of old in our City, how little we

What celebrities later would burst into view.

Whose fame would ring loudly from Elbow to Bow

If only we'd listened—but now we all KNOW-

REFRAIN:

The Bells of St. Mary's we heard them a-calling,

"Our Michael Costello will four times be Mayor

The vags and the jags will adore and implore him

For love of Mike to hold on tight and stay right there."

(Fortissimo)

In all kinds of weather by night or by day

If we wanted to drive the Blue Devils away

'Twas the grandest old stunt when the fire bell rung out

To whoop up the "hosses" with syren and shout.

REFRAIN:

The fire bell, the fire bell we heard it

a-calling Our "Cappy", dear "Cappy" will one day be boss

The fire boys and fire bugs will like or abhor him

With his red devil rushing out-How's that, old hoss?

Repeat FF.

But hark! what far lovlier strains did we hear

Re-echoing gaily afar and anear The sound of band music most beaute-

ously played soldierly bandsmen in mufti arrayed.

REFRAIN:

The trumpets and trombones we heard them a-braying Fred Bagley will be our Conductor

And now he's a Major we're ready to wager

That none can beat Fred Bagley's

That's our firm belief.

Repeat Double FFF.

TUNE: "THE LONG, LONG TRAIL"

Nights are getting very lively Radio comes along, Giving you the latest speeches, Cheering you with song, But that's nothing to the thrill of News that came from far In the mail bags of the first mail train On the good old C.P.R.

CHORUS:

There's a long, long trail a-winding through the land you all love Through the prairies and the passes with the stars above. There's a long, long night of waiting till your dreams all come true, But the C.P.R. will bring you luck

Streets are getting very risky, Crossings are a rout And the honk-honk of the motors, Makes you all step out, Aeroplanes and Zepps a-purring Race or touring car-Gee! they've

nothing on the marvels Of the good old C.P.R.

As sure as you are you.

There's a long, long trail, etc.

Who can tell of the coming Of the shining steel William Pierce can give you figures Facts right off the reel J. S. Dennis for this city Begged the Palliser Bringing tourists by the dozen On the good old C.P.R.

There's a long, long trail, etc.

TUNE: "THE OLD SWEET SONG"

Once in the dear old days that we regret.

Whiskey was Dry and all the world was Wet.

Wine from the wood that bubbled to the brim

Brightened our wits and made us light of limb.

Dancing at dusk when fell the coal oil gleam, Tripped we a measure—in an old

pipe dream.

CHORUS:

Just a drop at twilight when the lights are low Tip the bottle gently; Not so much! No! No! Though we know we oughtn't Say to it—So long! Popping corks at Twilight Sing their old Sweet Song.

Now in the world that sadly we decry. One half is wet-the other half is

Wood in the whisky-Log wood in the wine,

Which is best? To offer or decline?

But be our spirits neat or spirits gay, Join in the Chorus in the good old way.

Just a drop, etc.

TUNE: "THE RED RIVER VALLEY"

It's a long time you know I've been waiting,

For the fond words you never would

But alas now my sad heart is break-

For they tell me you're going away.

CHORUS:

Then come sit down awhile 'ere you leave me,

Do not hasten to bid me adieu. But remember the Red River Valley. And the half breed that loved you so true.

From the valley they say you are

We shall miss your blue eyes and bright smile,

And alas you take with you the sunshine,

That has brightened my pathway awhile.

CHORUS:

Then come sit down awhile leave me, etc., etc.

AULD LANG SYNE

Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And never brought to mind?
Should auld acquaintance be forgot,
And the days of auld lang syne?

CHORUS:

For auld lang syne, my dear,
For auld lang syne,
We'll tak' a cup o' kindness yet,
For auld lang syne.